

# "KURRENT KOMMENT"

GATHERED TOGETHER FOR FUTURE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION.

Opinions as to the Results of the Recent Tidal Wave and Cyclonic Disturbances— "What Will the Harvest Be?"

## TARIFF PICTURES.

In 1886 this country manufactured 2,541,493 tons of steel ingots. Last year the domestic production of ingots amounted to 4,660,388 tons.

—New York Press.

Now Governor Lewelling and his Kansas Populists have taken to calling names. They should either learn how to use boomerangs or let them alone.

Ex-Secretary Thompson tells more about his honesty of purpose in the Panama Canal affair than he does about where those French millions went in America.

"I made one New Year's call," says Murat Halstead. "It was on Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, who is now 80 years old and bright eyed as a girl. She is full of womanly charm and her memory is clear as a crystal. She is an institution in Brooklyn, respected and loved on her own account, as well as in regard for the memory of her husband and deference to her famous name. There is no happier and brighter example of beautiful and gracious old age."

President Harrison and President-elect Cleveland will ride together in the former's carriage when they go from the White House to the Capitol to once more exchange the Presidency next Saturday week, says *The Louisville Times*, and Vice-President and Mrs. Morton have issued invitations to a reception to meet the Vice-President-elect and Mrs. Stevenson next Wednesday evening. In the meantime, President Harrison has appointed a Democrat to the Supreme Court Bench, and President-elect Cleveland has called a Republican to the head of his Cabinet. Thus, not only flowers of courtesy, but substantial fruits, deck both sides of the political garden wall. When next the bugle calls to battle, it will be found that Little Buttrick has considerably mixed the two armies up.

VREELAND's Minstrels give a modern, moral and refined entertainment.

The river is fast approaching its normal stage, and there's no chance of its getting as high as it was last week.

A LEADING newspaper mentioned forty-seven Cabinet possibilities and placed them in the position which they might be called on to fill. The editor was supposed to have reliable inside information, yet Lamont is the only one he guessed.

On account of the Inauguration of the President-elect at Washington, D. C., March 4th, the C. and O. will sell round trip tickets Maysville to Washington at \$13.50. Tickets on sale February 25th, March 1st, 2nd and train No. 2 of March 3d. Return limit March 8th.

JOHN BRUNNE, a cigarette fiend of Covington, was fined \$25 and costs in the City Court at that place for creating a disturbance. He stated that at times he was subject to fits superinduced by the cigarette habit and at such times it sometimes required eight men to hold him.

It is a singular fact that the Tariff act of 1842 received precisely the same number of affirmative votes in the Southern states that were given to the McKinley act of 1890, to wit, ten votes, showing that the Tariff sentiment in that country has remained unchanged for half a century.

The friends of Gus Koborst, a young fellow whose home was in Covington, have news leading them to think it was he that was killed in the recent C. and O. wreck at Bradford. He was on his way to Huntington and had got on the freight that collided, and since has not been heard from.

## Group at Plainfield, N. J.

My boy, five years of age, was recently taken with a severe attack of croup and I thought sure that I would lose him. I had seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised and concluded to try it, and am happy to say that after two doses he was relieved and slept till morning. He had another attack the next night; I gave the same remedy and a prompt cure was effected. I feel that I cannot praise this remedy too highly. L. R. MURPHY, No. 35 Park Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will not only cure croup, but will prevent it. If freely given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. Several doses are usually required. There is no danger in giving it freely, as it contains nothing injurious. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Power & Reynolds, druggists.

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# LEDGER

FIRST YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1893.

ONE CENT.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

John Cox and son of Vanceburg were in the city yesterday.

Charles Davis has been on a visit to Sherman Evans near Aberdeen.

Ben Davis returned last evening from Baltimore and other Eastern cities.

Miss Etta Everett is expected home from Charleston, W. Va., this evening.

Miss Lizzie Sudduth is home from Springfield, Ill., where she spent the winter.

J. R. Stephens of Quincy was in the city yesterday, and left for home this morning.

Mrs. H. A. Stickley and daughter, Miss Myrtle, left this morning for their future home at Norris City, Ill.

C. W. Green, for several months resident manager of the Opera-house, leaves to-day for his home at Circleville, O.

Walker Baughman arrived last night from Circleville, O., to resume his position under the management of the Opera-house.

M. C. Russell, Thomas A. Davis, E. H. Martin, J. D. Dye, W. P. Jenkins, Dr. D. W. C. Franklin, W. LaRue Thomas, E. A. Robinson, W. C. Miner, Dr. G. M. Phillips and George W. Rogers left this morning to attend the meeting of Syrian Temple, N. M. S. S., at Cincinnati this evening.



A REVERIE.

There's a little square patch of ashken sky  
Away up yonder, over so high,  
That, lying in bed, I can see;  
'Tis so dreary, I'd welcome anything  
That e'en a new shade of grey would bring  
To vary the prospect for me.

I'll not be staring at it so,  
For there is my other window.

'Tis no better there! The square is of brick,  
With the grime and the soot covered thick  
On the whole of the dismal mass.  
The snow, as melting it falls from the roof,  
Adds no thread of light to warp or woof,  
And only bespatters the glass.

I will look at my fire; that can be bright,  
Though soot and clouds make day like night.  
Alas! while I fretted at sky and soot;  
What I could make bright was soon forgot,  
And my grate is full of ashes.

For the loving warmth and the dancing light,  
I have instead the unwelcome sight  
Of my grate full of ashes.

The lesson I have 'tis well to know,  
Content had kept my fire aglow.

Miss MARY CROSBY, aged 15, died at Ripley a few days ago.

Mrs. REBECCA THORPE, a highly respected citizen of Dayton, is dead.

The Licking Rolling Mill at Covington was forced to shut down on account of high water.

A. A. KREUTZ of this city and Miss Elizabeth Forbes of Concord married at the Bank Hotel, Ripley.

SMOKE the "New License," latest and best five cent cigar in the market, made by W. A. Cole & Co., Third street.

It has been reported to the City Council of Covington that there is a great deal of property in that city not assessed.

FOR SALE—One hundred acres of first-class Mason county land. Apply to C. F. Taylor at B. A. Wallingford's, Maysville, Ky.

The West Virginia Legislature has appropriated \$20,000 for a World's Fair exhibit. It took hard work to get that much through.

SENATOR BLACKBURN will attract attention at Cleveland's inauguration attired in a suit of Confederate jeans. It will be a present from his friends in Versailles.

Mrs. WEBB, the Ashland woman who assaulted and dangerously wounded her husband with a hatchet a few days ago, has been adjudged insane and ordered taken to Lexington.

A CENTENNIAL Mission meeting will be held at the Lewisburg Baptist Church, beginning to-night and continuing over Sunday. Most of the Baptist Ministers of Bracken Association are expected to be present and take part in the program. Everybody cordially invited.

ROBERT F. MEANS is still confined to his home by illness.

REV. GEORGE S. INGES, the well-known Southern evangelist, is dead.

Mrs. SIMON NELSON, who has been ill for several weeks, is somewhat improved.

THE ice companies of Cincinnati have consolidated with a capital of \$3,000,000.

H. C. McDUGGLE is with the extensive house of Brower, Scott & Frazee, Lexington.

W. B. NICHOLS of Tallapoosa, Ga., wants the Postoffice address of H. C. Guthrie.

MISS ANNA DICKINSON has brought suit for libel against four New York newspapers.

FRANCIS BORLES was attacked by a wild steer at a Louisville distillery and badly bruised.

Mrs. STEPHEN ANDERSON fell down the stairs at her home in Louisville and was fatally injured.

Mrs. E. A. PASCOE of Lancaster has received the news of her father's death, which occurred at Hamburg.

BURRELL WILLIAMS, a colored man 80 years of age, died at Lexington from asphyxiation, caused by smoke.

MISS FLORENCE H. LONG died at her home in Russellville, aged 20 years. She was said to have been very beautiful.

JUDGE CLARK at London has issued a rule against the County Court to show cause why a new jail shall not be built.

In two hours time every seat in the Hopkinsville Opera-house was sold for the Sam Jones lecture Wednesday night.

THE Mexican War veterans celebrated the forty-sixth anniversary of the battle of Buena Vista at Lancaster on the 23d.

COLONEL F. S. OWENS, who has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism, is recovering rapidly and will soon be himself again.

EX-GOVERNOR MCCHERRY is able to attend to his business as Representative, notwithstanding his broken arm which he carries gracefully in a sling.

THE Keith-Schroeder Harness Company is preparing to issue an elaborate catalogue of articles manufactured by that enterprising establishment.

WORK has been begun on a \$15,000 Courthouse at Salyersville and when completed will be the best equipped public building in the mountains.

NEAR West Liberty Sam Cuskry, his brother Jeff and his uncle Jesse, got into a family disturbance. Sam was fatally wounded and the undertaker took charge of the others.

THE Democrats of Laurel county met in mass convention and adopted resolutions endorsing Colonel Frank Riley for the position of United States Marshal of Kentucky under Cleveland.

PRESIDENT INGALLS, of the C. and O. and Big Four, has been ill at his home in Washington for several days with a bad cold. There is no occasion for his friends to be alarmed about his condition.

OSCAR S. BROWN, ex-Sheriff of Christian county, who has been a fugitive from justice for over two years has returned to Hopkinsville and given bond in the sum of \$7,500 for his appearance.

"Don't go West," but save your money and buy a home, or make a good investment by taking stock in the 8th series of the Limestone Building Association. Books now open. 80 cents per share.

H. C. SHARP, Secretary.

J. E. Threlkeld, Treasurer.

CAPTAIN MILLER, father of Mrs. Robert Bissett of this city, who died recently in Pittsburgh, was one of the millionaires of that city. He left a family of eight children, and his immense property is to be divided between them equally, giving to each one an excess of \$100,000.

VREELAND's Minstrels will be at the Opera-house to-night. The entertainment given by this company is a succession of specialties of more than average merit. Many new features in minstrelsy are introduced and every moment's time is filled by something to amuse and entertain. Seats can be secured at Nelson's. Prices 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

## Illinois-Kentucky.

From Danville, Ill., Mrs. H. J. Nabors writes: I have been using your remedies for scrofula and am greatly benefited. My back was almost one solid ache. Two boxes of Dr. Hale's Household Ointment healed it entirely.

From Olive Hill, Ky., Mrs. M. S. Matney writes May 13th, 1892: My daughter has been afflicted with erysipelas in her eyes from infancy. She is now past 12 years old and one eye has been cured. It costs no more to get the best. This is the best ointment in the world for general use. Get a box at Power & Reynolds's drugstore.

RUGGLES Campmeeting will begin July 27th.

HAMLET C. SHARP was on the streets yesterday after several days illness.

A MOVEMENT is on foot to secure the location of a Postoffice at Briary, two miles from Quincy.

RILEY HOSKINS, a railroad employee, was run over by a Kentucky Union train and killed at Stanton.

SAMUEL FLOWERS and Miss Mattie Peary of Lexington eloped to Jeffersonville and were married.

DAVID HOLMAN, near Kuttawa, has been appointed to a cadetship in the naval school at Annapolis.

JOSEPH CATALDO and Harry McDonald will engage in a wrestling match at Huntington next Monday night.

SNOW prevented the carrying out of the outdoor part of the Knights of Pythias anniversary celebration at Lexington.

CONRAD CAMER, Postmaster at Tannery, Lewis county, is under arrest for selling jag juice without Uncle Sam's permission.

JAMES HALL and Miss Mary Weedon of Wedonia were united in marriage at the St. Charles Hotel yesterday, Judge Phister officiating.

DURING the time that the water was at its highest the Cincinnati packets had great difficulty in getting through under the Kenova Bridge.

W. R. BRITTINGHAM of Adams county sold four hogheads of tobacco at \$10 75 to \$13 75, averaging \$12 60, at the Bodmann House, Cincinnati.

WILLIE JOHNSON of Woodford county and Miss Treacy Jacobs of Grant county were married yesterday at the County Clerk's office by Judge Phister.

A NEW electric lighting company will bring to Covington the Westinghouse system. It has been decided by the backers to invest \$150,000 in the enterprise.

PALESTINE COMMANDERY K. T., No. 6, will meet in their Asylum Friday evening, February 24th, 1893. Visiting Knights invited. L. D. HENDERSON, E. C. Charles H. Walker, Recorder.

THERE will be a called meeting of Joseph Heiser Post, No. 13, G. A. R., to-night. Business of importance. A full attendance desired.

GEORGE M. CLINGER, Commander.

MIDDLESBOROUGH's prospects seem brighter by the success of the new furnaces. A large amount of money, which has been tied up for two years in the steel and iron plant, has been released.

MR. AND MRS. CLEVELAND are afraid that Miss Ruth Cleveland may contract the scarlet fever which recently prevailed at the White House, and for that reason will not occupy that mansion for the present.

If the veracious Weather Clerk will now send a few telegrams predicting cold waves and driving storms, we will most likely have pleasant weather. His recent prognostications have all gone wrong.

JESSIE BAYLESS, the little ten-year-old miss who has been attending the Academy of the Visitation, died there this morning after an illness of some weeks. Her remains will be taken to her home at West Union, O.

REMEMBER, THE LEDGER prints "Help Wanted," "Lost," "Found," and similar notices not of a business character, free of charge. The only thing we require is that the copy be sent in before 9 o'clock on day of publication.

A GALLIPOLIS, O., man is searching about an old meadow with a large magnetized iron rod for a pot of gold supposed to hold \$40,000, buried years ago by a bank thief, who died in prison, but not before stating that it was buried in that field.

Mrs. J. CHADWICK is searching for her eleven-year-old son who has been missing from his home at Morley since February 11th. It is feared that he has been kidnapped for some unknown purpose. A reward of \$50 has been offered by his mother for any information that will lead to the discovery of his whereabouts.

## The Inauguration.

The road to Washington offering the greatest inducements in the way of scenery, historic interest and train service is the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, which passes through the battlefields of Virginia and West Virginia and the most picturesque regions of America. The F. F. V. is the only dining car train. All through trains lighted with electricity and heated with steam. For lowest excursion rates and complete information apply to nearest ticket agent, or address C. B. Ryan, General Passenger Agent, Cincinnati, O.

THE Massachusetts House defeated the Woman Suffrage bill, 97 nays to 87 yeas.

W. EARL WORICK of the Postoffice force was taken ill somewhat suddenly this morning.

ALL attempts to raise the steamer *Crystal City*, which was sunk by ice below St. Louis, have been abandoned.

THE Pope is anxious to bring into general use a severer and more ecclesiastical style of church music. He is opposed to the modern operatic style.

J. M. AIKEN and Jane Emmons, a colored couple, were married at the County Clerk's office yesterday by Hon. Thomas R. Phister, County Judge.

CAPTAIN BEN D. TERRY, who everybody thought had a cinch on the Cadiz Postoffice, finds the pay is so small he could not accept the appointment if tendered him.

THE large new barn of Monroe Boyd, near Hopkinsville, was fired by incendiaries and burned, together with the live stock and feed stuff it contained. The loss was \$3,000.

THERE was a grand rush to get married in this city yesterday. Judge Phister performed the ceremony in no less than five instances. Three of the couples were from this county.

GRANDPA Ike Lane is stepping very high this morning. Mrs. R. B. Griffith of Indianapolis, formerly Miss Lillie Lane of this city, on Tuesday night presented her husband with a nine and a half pound son.

JOHN AUGUSTINE and Mrs. Maud Cochran of Carlisle came down to Maysville last night to get married. Judge Phister performed the ceremony for them at the Grand View Hotel. The bride is a widow and 18 years old.

MARTIN BROS. are at home again at 111 East Third street. Their quarters have been handsomely fitted up, and a special invitation is given all their friends to call. See their advertisement elsewhere. The low prices on bananas and oranges are for Saturday only.

THERE was no fund from which the last Grand Jury at Newport could draw money to pay for the examination of the books of the various city officers, and to prove that they were anxious to find how things stood they went down in their pockets and paid for these examinations.

VREELAND's Operatic Minstrels will be at the Opera-house to-night. A grand street parade will be given at noon to-day. The whole performance is neat and clean and everyone will thoroughly enjoy the entertainment. Seats on sale at Nelson's. Prices 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

THE Senate was in a quandary yesterday over the bill on private corporations, which has mysteriously disappeared and cannot be found. Senator Alexander, Chairman of the Committee, can find no way in which it could have been lost, and both he and Senator Conner of Boone urged a full investigation that it may be ascertained at whose door the blame lies.

CORONER WILSON of Covington is being severely criticised for the verdict rendered in the Licking Bridge disaster last summer. *The Cincinnati Tribune* claims to have conclusive evidence of criminal negligence on part of the contractors, and also says that this evidence was obtainable at the time of the inquest, but was not sought after by the Coroner. The paper promises to supply the Kenton County Grand Jury with all necessary facts if it wishes to make an investigation.

## The M. E. Church.

Much interest is being manifested in the meetings at the M. E. Church which are being conducted by the Pastor, Rev. D. P. Holt.

Two services are held each day; at 2:30 o'clock in the Sunday-school room and at 7 o'clock in the audience-room. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

## For Schoolteachers.

The regular meeting of the Mason County Teachers' Association will be held at the High School in this city on Saturday, March 4th.

Teachers will be paid their salaries at the same time and place. Teachers who have not handed in their State Register will please do so. G. W. BLATTERMAN, Supt. Public Schools, Mason County.

## After Powell.

John Powell, the brute who is wanted by the authorities at Beattyville, near South Portsmouth, for the ravishing of two of his own step-children, put in his appearance at his old home recently and began preparations to move his worldly goods from the house to an old shantyboat he owned at the river. He was discovered by a small boy, who made it known to his parents, and a lively chase ensued during which Powell escaped in a skiff he had hidden in the willows near at hand. A dozen or more shots were fired at him.

# "REMOVED"

The Capital of Kansas to Kansas.

That is What the Populists Did in Exactly Two Minutes.

They Claim Topeka is Too Near the Eastern Line, So They Voted to Move It—The Populists Will Ignore the Supreme Court of the State.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 24.—The Democratic house of representatives has "removed" the state capital to Kanapolis in exactly two minutes. The resolution was offered by Mr. Hair, the "contestant member" from Kiowa, and in 120 seconds it had received the sanction of the house, although some members who were opposed to it afterward protested, saying the resolution was railroaded through with indecent haste. The resolution recites that the capital is now located near the eastern border; that western counties have been disfranchised by republican rule for the purpose of holding the capital at To-



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peka; that the conduct of the citizens of Topeka recently has been in defiance of the wishes of the people of the state, and that the Kanapolis people have offered to duplicate the present state house without expense to the state; and declares that as soon as practicable, lawful steps will be taken to remove the capital to that city.

Taking of testimony in the Gunn habeas corpus case in the supreme court, brought to test the legality of the republican house, was completed Thursday morning, after which the arguments were made. The court took the case under advisement, and will hand down its decision probably next Saturday.

TOPEKA, Kas., Feb. 24.—The populists are openly saying that they will ignore entirely the decision of the supreme court as to the legality of the republican house and some of the more radical advocate resuming the war and using force. It is believed that this talk is indulged in because the populists have become convinced that the decision will be an adverse one.

Whatever the leaders may urge in this direction will not be sanctioned by Gov. Lewelling, who has been convinced that his party has been defeated. The general opinion seems to be that the supreme court's decision will favor the republicans.

## Judge Jackson's Successor.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The president sent to the senate Thursday the following nominations: Benton Hanchett, of Michigan, to be United States circuit judge for the Sixth judicial circuit (to succeed Judge Jackson); J. E. Cochran, of Nebraska, to be consul of the United States at San Salvador, R. R. Lowell, of Utah, to be judge of probate in the county of San Pete, in Utah. Henry W. Raymond, of New York, to be examiner of claims in the department of state.

## Famine and Disease in Finland.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 24.—In consequence of the destruction of crops by frost last summer, famine and disease are now prevalent throughout Finland. More than 200,000 persons are dependent upon charity. Towns and villages are thronged with beggars. At least 500,000 peasants are barely able to find the means of subsistence. They have eaten most of their draft animals and their domestic pets. Typhus fever is carrying off hundreds daily.

## Old's Car Licenser Strike.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—True to their threat the electrical linemen at the World's fair grounds in the employ of the exposition company went out Thursday morning on a strike. One hundred linemen quit work because their demands were not acceded to. The men asked \$3 a day for eight hours' work, time and a half for over time and double time for Sunday work. The linemen have heretofore been receiving \$2.50 per day.

## A 10-Year-Old Convicted of Murder.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Feb. 24.—Dan Paschall, a ten-year-old boy, has been convicted of murder in Judge Parker's court. The crime for which Paschall was convicted was the killing of Arthur Berry at Krebs, I. T. Several boys were passing the house of the prisoner and threw rocks at him. This so incensed the little fellow that he took his father's gun and fired at them, resulting in the death of one of the number.

## Gold Drippings Recovered.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 24.—Workmen engaged in building a furnace in the Balbach smelting works, a few days ago, discovered particles of gold in the soft clay. The firm immediately put men to work, and the result is that \$25,000 worth of gold has been recovered. The find is said to be the drippings of several years, which had filtered through the bricks of the furnace.

## Malignant Diphtheria.

PANA, Ill., Feb. 24.—The public schools of Oonsee have closed, also the revival services at the M. E. church, on account of the prevalence of a malignant type of diphtheria, six deaths having occurred within the last few days.

## Don't Want American Money.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 24.—The city treasurer has given orders that no U. S. money shall hereafter be taken at the offices of collectors at the city hall. Merchants are also unwilling to take American money.